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I. Organization of the session

1. The Committee for Programme and Coordination held the second part of its thirty-eighth session at United Nations Headquarters from 17 to 28 August 1998. It held five formal meetings (24th–28th meetings) and a number of informal consultations.

A. Agenda

2. The agenda for the second part of the thirty-eighth session, adopted by the Committee at its 24th meeting, is reproduced in annex I.

B. Attendance

3. The following States members of the Committee were represented at the second part of the thirty-eighth session:

Argentina
Austria
Bahamas
Brazil
Cameroon
China
Congo
Egypt
France
Germany
Indonesia
Iran (Islamic Republic of)
Italy
Japan
Mexico
Nicaragua
Nigeria
Pakistan
Poland
Republic of Korea

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Romania
Russian Federation
Thailand
Togo
Trinidad and Tobago
Uganda
Ukraine
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
United States of America
Uruguay
Zambia
Zimbabwe

4. The Democratic Republic of the Congo was not represented at the second part of the thirty-eighth session.

5. One seat from the Group of Western European and Other States remains to be filled.

6. The following States Members of the United Nations were represented as observers:

Algeria
Australia
Bangladesh
Belarus
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba
Ghana
India
Kazakhstan
Panama
Philippines
Saudi Arabia
Spain
Sweden
Tunisia

7. The following specialized agency was represented:

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

8. The Under-Secretary-General for Management, the Controller and senior officials of the United Nations Secretariat participated in the work of the Committee.

C. Documentation

9. The list of documents before the Committee at the second part of its thirty-eighth session is set forth in annex II.

D. Adoption of the report of the Committee

10. At its 28th meeting, on 28 August 1998, the Committee adopted the draft report on the work of the second part of its thirty-eighth session (E/AC.51/1998/L.9 and Add.1–4).

Annex I

Agenda for the second part of the thirty-eighth session of the Committee

1. Adoption of the agenda and organization of work [item 2].

2. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [item 3]:

   (b) Outline of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001.

3. Programme questions [item 4]:

   (b) Revisions to the medium-term plan for the period 1998–2001:

   Programme 6. Africa: New Agenda for Development;

   Programme 13. International drug control;

   (c) Proposed revisions to the Regulations and Rules Governing Programme Planning, the Programme Aspects of the Budget, the Monitoring of Implementation and the Methods of Evaluation.

4. Adoption of the report of the Committee on the second part of its thirty-eighth session [item 9].

Annex II

List of documents before the Committee at the second part of its thirty-eighth session

A/53/6 (Programme 6)	Proposed revisions to the medium-term plan for the period 1998–2001 Programme 6. Africa: New Agenda for Development
A/53/6 (Programme 13/Rev.1)	Proposed revisions to the medium-term plan for the period 1998–2001 Programme 13. International Drug Control
A/53/133	Report of the Secretary-General on the proposed revisions to the Regulations and Rules Governing Programme Planning, the Programme Aspects of the Budget, the Monitoring of Implementation and the Methods of Evaluation
A/53/220	Report of the Secretary-General on the proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2000–2001
E/AC.51/1998/9	Note by the Secretariat on the annotated provisional agenda for the second part of the thirty-eighth session
E/AC.51/1998/L.8	Note by the Secretariat on the status of documentation for the second part of its thirty-eighth session
E/AC.51/1998/L.9/Add.1–4	Draft report of the Committee on the second part of its thirty-eighth session
E/AC.51/1998/INF.2	List of delegations